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Title : NON-PEPTIDE AGONISTS AND ANTAGONISTS OF  
ADRENOMEDULLIN AND GASTRIC RELEASING PEPTIDE

**SUBMISSION OF DECLARATION OF INVENTORSHIP  
AND POWERS OF ATTORNEY  
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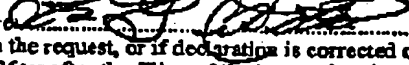
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